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**BAG MEN:** Dan Suter (left) and Connie Eckard were among the Fluor Community Involvement Team members picking up trash along Interstate Highway 82 on the cold and drizzly morning of Dec. 1. The FCIT keeps a stretch of the highway clean as part of the Adopt-a-Highway Program.



**HONORED ESSAYIST:** Keith Klein, manager of the Department of Energy Richland Operations Office, congratulates Dallas Williams of McLoughlin Middle School, one of nine winners in the patriotic essay contest sponsored by Hanford Safeguards and Security organizations and the DOE Veterans Advisory Council ("Hanford groups award patriotic essay writers," *Hanford Reach*, Nov. 12). Dallas is the daughter of Janice Williams of Fluor Hanford and Bruce Williams of Pacific Northwest National Laboratory.

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**THE 1,000th BASKET:** At left, Fluor Hanford Vice President of Hanford Site Operations John Wood addresses workers of the Spent Nuclear Fuel Project's Fabrication Team. In November, the team celebrated fabrication of 1,000 spent fuel baskets. The SNF Project has now removed 34 loads of fuel, totaling more than 5 million curies of radioactivity, from the K West Basin.



Below, Rex Ozment, FH shop production lead, inspects a steel spent fuel basket, shown at left next to a copper basket designed to hold spent fuel scraps. The SNF Project is fabricating four different models of baskets, each two feet tall, approximately 22 inches in diameter and weighing from 230 to 625 pounds. The \$28 million effort will fabricate a total of 2,170 baskets.



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